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Governor Schwarzenegger's Office of Economic Development Director Joel Ayala Issues Statement on Newsweek's 2010 Green Rankings

Sacramento, CA –Governor's Office of Economic Development (GoED) Director Joel Ayala today issued the following statement following the second annual release of Newsweek's Green Rankings:

"Today, Newsweek released its 2010 Green Rankings and I am proud to say that nine of the top 20 green companies in the U.S. are here in California. This is a clear indicator that California companies are committed to protecting the environment by creating the kind of facilities and products that make the state a global leader in the green economy. Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger deserves credit for making the green economy a critical piece of the state's future economic growth. His policies have created the momentum the state needs to continue down a green path and I expect to see more and more California companies join the rankings."

The Governor's Office of Economic Development (GoED) was launched by Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger to help stimulate and facilitate economic growth across the state. GoEd serves as a one-stop shop for business needs and can offer assistance, resources, and other tools to assist with the creation, expansion and retention of businesses. GoED's mission is to make it easier to do business in the state.

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